

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION
Olympia, Washington**

To: Pharmacists
Managed Care Plans

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Subject: Prescription Drug Program: Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) Updates

Effective for dates of service on and after December 1, 2005, the Medical Assistance Administration (MAA) will implement the following changes to the Prescription Drug Program:

1. New additions to the Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) list;
2. Adjustments to existing MACs; and
3. Deletions from the MAC list.

MAC Additions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 12/01/05
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	400MG/5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.07750
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE	200-28.5MG/ 5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.22032
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE	600-42.9MG/ 5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.30600
BENZONATATE	100MG	CAPSULE	\$0.28930
HYDROMORPHONE HCL	2MG	TABLET	\$0.10520
ITRACONAZOLE	100MG	CAPSULE	\$7.96770
METHADONE HCL	40MG	TABLET SOL	\$0.26980
LEFLUNOMIDE	10MG	TABLET	\$3.45560
LEFLUNOMIDE	20MG	TABLET	\$3.45560
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM	75MCG	TABLET	\$0.14500
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM	100MCG	TABLET	\$0.13500
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM	125MCG	TABLET	\$0.15410
TICLOPIDINE HCL	250MG	TABLET	\$0.23570
WARFARIN SODIUM	6MG	TABLET	\$0.24360

MAC Adjustments:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 12/01/05
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	250MG	CAPSULE	\$0.03090
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE	500MG	CAPSULE	\$0.03560
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE (#50ML)	400-57MG/ 5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.42768
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE (#75ML)	400-57MG/ 5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.38113
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE (#100ML)	400-57MG/ 5ML	SUSP RECON	\$0.34800
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE	500-125MG	TABLET	\$1.40400
AMOXICILLIN TRIHYDRATE/ POTASSIUM CLAVULANATE	875-125MG	TABLET	\$1.62860
AZATHIOPRINE	50MG	TABLET	\$0.22540
HYDROXYZINE HCL	50MG	TABLET	\$0.40390
INSULIN NPH HUMAN RECOM	300U/3ML	INSULIN PEN	\$6.19080
WARFARIN SODIUM	2.5MG	TABLET	\$0.18470

MAC Deletions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 12/01/05
MOEXIPRIL HCL	7.5MG	TABLET	\$0.00000
MOEXIPRIL HCL	15MG	TABLET	\$0.00000

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